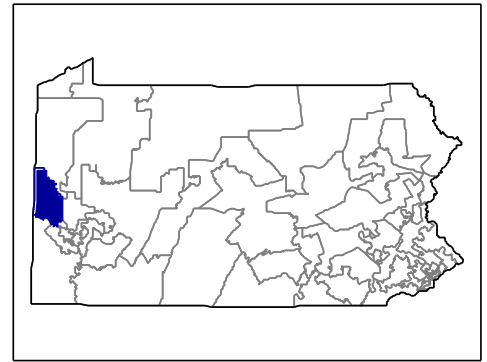


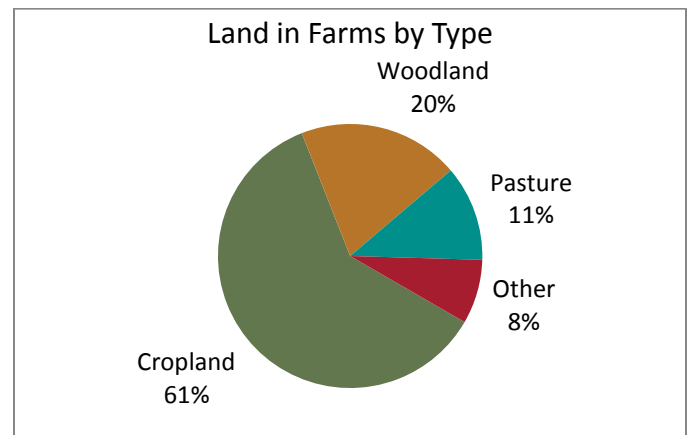
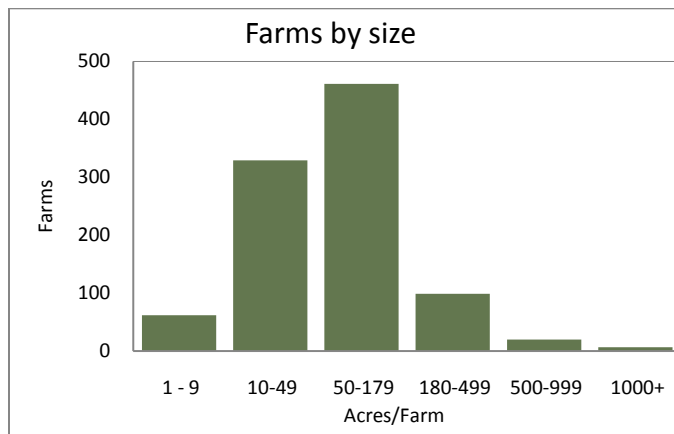
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## Pennsylvania Senate District 47

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	1,430	1,297	+ 10
<b>Number of Farms</b>	978	873	+ 12
<b>Land in Farms</b>	102,259 acres	92,178 acres	+ 11
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	105 acres	106 acres	- 1
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	426 acres	501 acres	- 15
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$33,266,000	\$18,724,000	+ 78
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$34,015	\$21,448	+ 59
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$1,184,000	\$743,000	+ 59
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$685,000	\$652,000	+ 5
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,457	\$4,258	- 19



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#### Ranked items among the 50 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	33,266	28	46
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	13,212	30	46
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	20,055	24	45
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,585	23	44
Tobacco	-	-	17
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,180	30	44
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	746	29	43
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,040	32	45
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	150	25	41
Other crops and hay	1,510	28	41
Poultry and eggs	117	31	43
Cattle and calves	3,189	25	45
Milk and other dairy products from cows	15,478	21	40
Hogs and pigs	424	23	42
Sheep, goats, and their products	171	20	43
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	272	28	40
Aquaculture	(D)	28	33
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	23	43
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	21,023	20	45
Corn for grain	13,202	21	42
Soybeans for beans	7,251	19	39
Corn for silage or greenchop	3,132	22	39
Oats for grain	1,658	12	37
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	15,186	22	45
Pigeons or Squab	3,104	5	33
Layers	2,724	28	43
Horses and ponies	2,060	21	46
Hogs and pigs	1,647	25	42

#### Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	391	Farming	357
\$1,000 to \$2,499	99	Other	621
\$2,500 to \$4,999	105		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	94	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	61	Male	826
\$20,000 to \$24,999	34	Female	152
\$25,000 to \$39,999	55		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	57
\$50,000 to \$99,999	49		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	50	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	20	American Indian or Alaskan Native	1
\$500,000 or more	13	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	27,927	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	28,555	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,208	White	1,406
Average per farm (\$)	7,370	More than one race	3
		All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	14

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.